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THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES

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A DRAFT OF PROPOSED LEGISLATION FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, EXTENDING THE AVAILABILITY OF THE APPRO-PRIATION OF \$12,000 FOR THE PURCHASE OF FURNITURE AND FURNISHINGS FOR THE COLORED INDUSTRIAL HOME SCHOOL TO JUNE 30, 1927

APRIL 26, 1926.—Referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed

> THE WHITE HOUSE, Washington, April 24, 1926.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives.

SIR: I have the honor to transmit herewith for the consideration of Congress a draft of proposed legislation for the District of Columbia, extending the availability of the appropriation of \$2,000 for the purchase of furniture and furnishings for the Colored Industrial Home School to June 30, 1927.

The details of the proposed legislation, the necessity therefor, and the reason for its submission at this time are set forth in the letter of the Director of the Bureau of the Budget, transmitted herewith, with whose comments and observations thereon I concur.

Respectfully,

CALVIN COOLIDGE.

BUREAU OF THE BUDGET, Washington, April 24, 1926.

SIR: I have the honor to submit herewith for your consideration, and upon your approval for transmission to Congress, an item of proposed legislation for the District of Columbia, affecting an existing appropriation, as follows:

Industrial Home School for Colored Children: That the appropriation of \$2,000 contained in the District of Columbia appropriation act for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1925, for furniture and furnishings for a new cottage at the Industrial Home School for Colored Children, is hereby made available for such purposes until June 30, 1927.

The reason for the submission of this item at this time is due to delay in securing a bid for the construction of the cottage within the limits of the existing appropriation for the purpose, causing a lapse of the appropriation for its furniture and furnishings.

The contract for the cottage was let on March 25, 1926, and the building will be completed about August 1, 1926. The \$2,000 will be necessary before the building can be furnished for use.

Approval of the proposed legislation is recommended.

Very respectfully,

H. M. Lord, Director of the Bureau of the Budget.

The PRESIDENT.

PROPOSED LEGISLATION

Industrial Home School for Colored Children: That the appropriation of \$2,000 contained in the District of Columbia appropriation act for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1925, for furniture and furnishings for a new cottage at the Industrial Home School for Colored Children is hereby made available for such purposes until June 30, 1927.